



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant(s) : Masayoshi MURAMATSU, et al.  
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For : METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF GERANYLGERANIOL AND  
ANALOGOUS COMPOUNDS THEREOF BY MICROORGANISMS  
Art Unit : 1651  
Examiner : Irene Marx  
Docket No. : 10235/11  
Customer No. : 23838

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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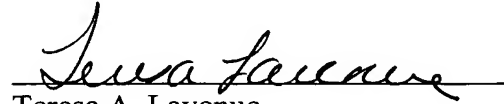
Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action dated May 14, 2004. The one-month extended period expires on September 14, 2004.

The Office is authorized to charge the fee in the amount of \$110.00 for the Petition for Extension of Time to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. The Office is further authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any over payments under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

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